

city administration, but real "artists" and principals can take off as much as the weather allows.

WHAT WILL COUNTY DO FOR "TYPHOID MARY" BURKE?

Now what is the county going to do for "Typhoid Mary" Burke? It made her what she is today—heart-broken, destitute. Then when it had broken her health and purse, it put a brand upon her so she can get no work.

Some say that Mary Burke is a martyr. Mrs. Burke says she is the "goat."

Last spring a fearful epidemic of typhoid started among those who attended the Oak Park high school banquet. The health authorities were severely asked why it permitted conditions to exist which could breed a typhoid epidemic. The Oak Park health department gets a big appropriation for high salaries and expenses and felt it was up to it to give an explanation.

Mrs. Mary Burke was seized upon as the medium of explanation. They said she was a typhoid carrier; that typhoid germs literally oozed from the pores of her skin. They said she made the salad for the banquet and that the salad caused the typhoid. Then they held her a prisoner in the Oak Park hospital.

Mrs. Burke is a cook, but she told a Day Book reporter she did not make the salad or cook anything for the high school banquet; that she only washed dishes.

Though they held her prisoner a long while she never developed a case of typhoid.

Now she is living at 1731 W. 12th st., Chicago. She can get no work, for the name, "Typhoid Mary," clings to her and people are afraid to have her around. Health Commissioner Robertson yesterday appealed to the county board for assistance for her.

Mrs. James McLean, 1033 Wells, hit by auto. Will recover.

ALLEN FACES "CHICKEN JOE" IN JOLIET PEN CASE

Joliet, Ill., Nov. 4. — Edmund M. Allen, former warden of Joliet prison, yesterday, in Judge Hooper's court, faced "Chicken Joe" Campbell, negro trusty whom he accuses as slayer of Mrs. Odette Allen.

Allen, who was the second witness called by State's Att'y Rob't W. Martin, reiterated the story he told at the time of the slaying, that he had gone to West Baden, Ind., with John Bray of Joliet and that Mrs. Allen did not accompany him because some gowns she wished for the trip had not been delivered. He said he told her on the telephone at 1:30 Saturday that he had canceled the reservation made for her on the night train. He called her again later and Campbell answered the phone and took the message that Mrs. Allen would be expected Monday morning in West Baden by the warden.

Counsel for the defense, Ferdinand L. Barrett, in his cross-examination of Allen, endeavored to show the confidence the warden and his wife had in the negro trusty.

MRS YOUNG WOULD OPEN THE SCHOOLS TO PARENTS

The school management committee of the board of education will consider a recommendation of Mrs. Young today. She proposes to throw open the school buildings evenings to the parents of the neighborhoods. She thinks that social centers should be run on a club basis.

If the plan is accepted social centers, community organizations and clubs will spring up around every one of the 300 school houses in Chicago.

Something never recommended before in the plan is the proposal to allow the associations to charge admission to entertainments given in school buildings.